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United Church

MAXWELL CHARGE
REV. GEO. L. MERCER, B.D., D.D.
Minister
SUNDAY, JANUARY 7th, 1940

Services will be held as usual next Sunday:—

10.50 a.m.—Eugenia.
2 p.m.—Mt. Zion.
3.30 p. m.—Warehm.
7.30 p.m.—Maxwell.

Sunday, January 7th, is the first Sunday of the new year. Dr. Mercer has announced from the pulpit that he will begin a series of sermons on the general subject of "What I Believe." His theme for Sunday will be "What I Believe About God." The time was never more opportune for a reaffirmation of our Christian belief than today. Help to encourage and inspire the pastor by your attendance at the services of worship next Sunday.

CO-OPERATION ASKED

During this first month of the new year Maxwell charge will aim at meeting in full the allotment requested of our four congregations for the Missionary and Benevolent Work of our church for the year 1939. The amount assigned to this charge is $150, or approximately **TWO CENTS** per week per family. One month only, until January 31st, remains in which to complete and remit our allocation. This note is written with the hope that, as far as possible, every member and department of our congregations will share in the larger work of the church and co-operate in apractical way with the minister in this effort. Subscriptions may be handed to your local treasurer, or to your central treasurer, the minister himself. LET US KNOCK the "T" OUT OF CAN'T.

United Church

FLESHERTON
Minister,
REV. G. K. McMILLAN, B.A., B.D.

Services will be held as usual on Sunday:

11.00 A.M.—Flesherton.
7.00 P.M.—Flesherton
3.00 P.M.—Ceylon

Sunday morning in St. John's Church the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. This is a service when members may especially dedicate themselves on the first Sunday of the new year.

The evening service will be specially for young poeple. There will be a young people's choir, which will meet for practice Friday evening, Jan. 5. Mr. McMillan will preach on the subject "Building each other up."

Following the service the young people will hold their regular weekly meeting. This will be the first one to be held Sunday night. All young people are invited to join the fellowship for personal enrichment.

IN MEMORIAM

BENSON — In loving memory of our dear son and brother, who died January 6th, 1932.

'Tis lonely here without you, Eldie,
There is such a vacant place,
Where we never hear your footsteps
Or see your smiling face.
As we loved you, so we miss you,
In our memory you are near;
Loved, remembered, longed for always
Bringing many a silent tear.

—Sadly missed by Parents, Brothers and Sisters.

Grey County Council

Following is a list of Reeves and Deputy-Reeves of the various municipalities who will constitute the County Council for the year 1940:

Artemesia—Reeve John A. Davis.
Bentinck—Reeve D. J. Hopkins.
Collingwood—Reeve Ross Bowser; Deputy-Reeve, J. N. Knuff.
Derby—Reeve James F. Young.
Egremont—Reeve S. M. Patterson; Deputy-Reeve, W. J. Aldcorn.
Euphrasia — Reeve, Harold Dawn; Deputy-Reeve, J. J. Miller.
Glenelg—Reeve, John McGirr.
Holland — Reeve, George Hanna; Deputy-Reeve, Wilbert Sutcliffe.
Keppel—Reeve, E. V. Radbourne; Deputy-Reeve, Torrance Preston.
Normanby — Reeve, Chas. Holm; Deputy-Reeve, H. Miller.
Osprey — Reeve, Arnold Hutchinson; Deputy-Reeve, Morton Sayers.
Proton—Reeve, William Jack.
Sarawak—Reeve, Samuel McMillan.
St. Vincent—Reeve, John Kingston; Deputy-Reeve, Jas. A. Smith.
Sullivan—Reeve, E. A. Carson; Deputy-Reeve, Joseph Agnew.
Sydenham—Reeve, Wm. McGregor; Deputy-Reeve, Findlay McDonald.
Durham—Reeve, Wm S. Hunter.
Hanover—Reeve, Austin Bail; Deputy-Reeve, Wesley Breugeman.
Meaford — Reeve, Wm. F. Riley; Deputy-Reeve, H. W. Solomon.
Thornbury—Reeve, A. McColeman.
Chatsworth—Reeve, W. J. Snell.
Dundalk—Samuel Todd.
Flesherton—Reeve, Alfred Down.
Markdale—Reeve, Albert Rusk.
Neustadt—Reeve, Louis Himmler.
Shallow Lake — Reeve, E. Radbourne.

WM. G. HANLEY MASTER OF EUGENIA L.O.L. 1118

The following is the result of the election of Eugenia L.O.L. No. 1118:

W.M.—Wm. G. Hanley.
D.M.—E. R Gordon.
Chaplain—D. Williams.
Rec. Sec.—S. Campbell.
Treasurer—W. Magee.
Marshal—Jake Williams.
1st Lect.—Norman Williams.
2nd Lect.—Victor Campbell.
1st Com.—Joe Williams.
2nd Com.—Gerald Magee.
3rd Com.—F. Jamieson.

Baptist Church Notes

REV. F. ASHTON, Pastor

SERVICES:

Flesherton:
11 A.M.—Worship.
12 noon—Bible School.
7 P.M. -Gospel Service.
Rock Mills.
2 P.M.—Bible School.
3 P.M.—Divine Service.

The Baptist Church Sunday School Treat was held in the church last Wednesday night December 27. The pastor presided over the program which consisted of recitations, songs, etc. by the children, concertina selections by Mr. Ashton, and finished by a splendid Tableau "Jesus Lover of my Soul" presented by Virginia Wilson which was greatly appreciated. The rest of the evening was spent in a social way, the children receiving their gifts and candies, also a dainty lunch was provided by the ladies, which added to the good time.

Canadien exhibitors took 25 chanpionships and 507 first prizes at the International live stock show at Chicago.

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Snow Club Formed To Keep Osprey Highways Open

The people of Osprey township are taking things into their own hands and have formed a Snow Club to further the interest of residents in that district in having their main roads plowed so that easier communication may be enjoyed with the outside world during the winter. It is the intention of the Club to have the highway from Flesherton to Singhampton kept open with a snow plow this winter. For every dollar that the residents subscribe, the township council and the County of Grey will donate one each, which means that if $500 is collected these two bodies will donate $1000, making $1500 available for snow plowing. This movement should receive widespread support by the people interested.

Officers elected are as follows: President, Arnold Hutchinson; Vice-Pres., Alfred Down; Secretary, John Robinson; Treasurer, C. N. Long; Executive, G. B. Welton, Ed. Seeley, Mel Sled, Stan Smith, J. A. Richards.

Tuesday afternoon H. A. McCauley went over the road with the Flesherton plow and made travel by car much easier. There was not a great deal of snow on the highway but the stub into Feversham was heavy and would have been blocked with a heavy blow.

Green — Finlay

A pretty wedding was solemnized at 300 N. Brodie St, Fort William, when Ruby Alberta, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Finlay of Ft. William, became the bride of Mr. Frederick Walter, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Green of Ft. William. The ceremony took place at 7.30, with the Rev. Elgin G. Turnbull officiating. Only relatives and a few friends were present.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a bridal robe of ivory cut brocade, an inserted band marked the high empire waist-line of the long billowy skirt. The softly moulded bodice was topped by a fitted jacket with short sleeves and turndown collar. Her chapel veil fell from a tiera of white French violets and she wore ivory satin sandals, elbow-length white kid gloves and carried an arm bouquet of Talisman roses, lily-of-the-valley and white chrysanthemums. Her only ornament was a diamond and drop pearl-set gold necklet.

Miss Pearl Finlay, who was her sister's bridesmaid, was frocked in forget-me-not blue faille taffeta. She wore a blue saphire necklet, gift from the groom.

Mr. Richard Green was his brother's groomsman, and Miss Mildred Gladd played the wedding march.

Mr. and Mrs. Green left for Geraldton, where they will reside, the bride travelling in a smart sports dress of MacDonald plaid and muskrat swagger coat with hunters green and brown accessories.

Mrs. Green is a granddaughter of Mrs. W. C. Hanley of Fugenia.

FOR RED CROSS WORK

A meeting to organize community Red Cross work will be held in the basement of St. Columba Church, Priceville, Thursday afternoon, Jan. 4th, 1940, at 2.30 p.m., under the auspices of the Women's Institute. All men and women of the community are asked to attend. Outside speakers will be present.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my appreciation of the many acts of kindness shown me from my friends and neighbors in my recent bereavement in the death of my sister.

Mrs. Martha Irwin

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our sincere appreciation for messages of sympathy, beautiful floral tributes and the many acts of kindness from friends and neighbors in our recent sad bereavement in the death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. A. Stevens and family.

The Minister of Finance of Canada has announced that the Government will issue a war loan in January 1940. It is expected that the amount of the loan will be 250 millions.

Fire Destroys Home

The home of Mr. Sam Croft on the Collingwood gravel one and a half miles east of Flesherton, was destroyed by fire Sunday evening, with very few of the contents being saved.

Mr. Croft was alone at the time and before leaving for the stable to do the evening work he had stoked the fire. When he came into the house in about an hour he smelled smoke, and on opening a door leading upstairs, was met with a volume of smoke. He at once commenced to save some articles in the woodshed and front room of the house, but these were very few as the house burned fiercely, being of frame construction erected many years ago. Some insurance was carried on the building and contents, but even then the loss for Mr. and Mrs. Croft and two sons will be considerable.

Wilson — Anderson

At 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of Saturday, Dec. 23rd, 1939, in the historic Presbyterian church, the marriage was solemnized of Mary Elmslie Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Anderson, 209 St. Paul Avenue, Stamford, to Clarence P. Wilson, B.A., of Flesherton, Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilson, 204 Ellis Ave., Toronto. The Rev. G. Taylor Munro was the officiating clergyman.

The bride wore a street-length gown of pastel crepe in aqua with colonial bouquet. Miss Helen McMorran, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor, and wore a street length dress of rose crepe with small black hat and also carried a colonial bouquet. The best man was John M. Anderson, B. A., brother of the bride, and the ushers were Douglas and Peter Anderson, also brothers of the bride. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion with Christmas greenery and white tapers.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Receiving with the bridal party were the bride's mother, wearing a frock of black moire with corsage of red roses, and the groom's mother, gowned in Burgundy crepe with corsage of Talisman roses. The wedding luncheon was served buffet style, from a table covered with a lace table cloth and decorated with a three-tier wedding cake, and white tapers in silver holders. Guests were present from Toronto, Belleville, St. Catharines, Oshawa and London.

Later the happy couple left on a wedding trip, the bride wearing a black and wool boucle coat, trimmed with mink, and large mink muff, with black and white accessories. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Wilson w make their home in Flesherton.

During the past few weeks the bride had been the guest of honor at several delightful affairs, which included a presentation by the Mary-Martha Society, of which the bride was a very active member; bath towel shower, the Misses Gray; kitchen s'.ower, Mrs. B. H. Reid of Beamsville, and presentation of a silver tea service by the office staff of the Canadian Ohio Brass Company, where the bride was employed previous to her marriage. On Monday, Dec. 18th, Mrs. Anderson entertained at a trousseau tea in honor of he daughter.

EARL CROFT MASTER OF FOURTH LINE L.O.L. 1132

At a recent meeting of L.O.L. 1132, Fourth Line, the following officers were elected and installed:

W.M.—Earl Croft.
D.M.—Robt. J. Fisher.
Chaplain—J. W. McKee.
Rec. Sec.—Wesley Plantt.
Fin. Sec.—Harry Fisher.
Treasurer—Lewis Fisher.
1st Lect.—John Badgerow.
2nd Lect.—Ned Croft.
Committeemen — Kenneth McKee, Wilden Lougheed, John Gibson, Geo. Fields.

The new Master is a son of the late C. Croft, who was Master of 1132 for nine years.

BORN

BETTS — In Artemesia on Monday, January 1s,t 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Betts, a son — Laurie Beverley.

Significant may be the fact that $6,000,000 in gold, belonging to the Allies, is on deposit in New York Banks awaiting possible war purhases.

Art Chard Shot Wolf Wednesday

Wolves have at last been found in this district, the first instance remembered of by some of our oldest residents. Wednesday morning Art. Chard and his brother, Leslie, were out hunting foxes when the dogs came to this strange track just fresh and followed it. The wolf kept just ahead of the dogs but did not appear to be afraid of them, when Art sighted it and brought it down with a well-placed shot. He was very much surprised to find that he had bagged a full grown timber wolf. He made the capture in the swamp at the rear of Harry Akins' farm, one and a quarter miles south of Flesherton. Art will receive the bounty given by the Ontario Government, besides the price of the hide.

No doubt this animal has been instrumental in killing off many sheep throughout the district, deeds of which had been laid to dogs. People south of town had heard the animal howling at night, but had no idea that a wolf was so close to hand. If there are any more of these animals running around it is hoped that they will all go the way of this one.

J. J. Patterson Dies

There passed away at Ceylon on Sunday, December 31st, 1939, one of Artemesia's oldest residents, in the person of John James Patterson, who was in his 88th year. The late Mr. Patterson was born at Albany, and was a son of the late William and Matilda Patterson. At an early age he came to Artemesia township and for the past 17 years has been a resident of Ceylon. He was married to Elizabeth Martin, who predeceased him in 1936. He is survived by two brothers: George of Artemesia and Henry of Ceylon, and two sisters: Mrs. Fowler of Proton and Mrs. Morwood of Shelburne. Four other sisters predeceased him. He was of Irish descent, and was also a member of Ceylon United Church.

The funeral took place on Tuesday, Jan. 2, from his late residenre, Rev. G. K. McMillan in charge. Interment was made in the mortuary chapel in Flesherton Cemetery.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Angus MacArthur, Henry Eckhardt, Peter Muir, S. Hemphill, P. Hemphill and Geo. Arrowsmith.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral were Mrs. Morwood and Lloyd of Shelburne, Milton Fowler of Proton, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Foster, Jimmy, Goldie, and Dana Patterson of Markdale.

DIED IN WINNIPEG

Funeral services were held at Winnipeg, Man., on Thursday last for Miss Susan C. Irwin, 66, veteran Winnipeg school teacher who died on Tuesday of last week, following a brief illness.

Native of Markdale, Miss Irwin graduated from the Macdonald Institute at Guelph and later took post graduate courses at Columbia University and the University of Chicago. Prior to her retirement from her teaching duties at Winnipeg, she was domestic science teacher at St. John's technical high school

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Jas. McKerracher, Northwood, Ont., and a brother, Alex. D. Irwin, Wiarton.

WOMEN'S WAR WORK

Those women who are interested in women's war work (knitting and sewing) are notified of yarn for same to be secured at Mrs. John Wright's residence, at any time. The buying committee of the Flesherton-Artemesia Red Cross has purchased yarn from the Flesherton Woollen Mill at a very reasonable rate, by the courtesy of its proprietor, Mr. Nuhn.

Directions for knitting a man's sock, using wheeling yarn, is as follows:

Cast on 16 stitches on each needle (48 stitches in all). Rib 4 inches, 2 plain, 2 purl; Knit plain 7 inches; Knit or turn a plain heel. Do not knit a double heel. When heel is turned you will have 44 stiches on needles. Knit plain 9 inches. Finish toe, using alternate toe or Kitchener toe. Length of foot when finished will be 11 inches.

(Save directions for future reference)

Portlaw Couple Are 46 Years Married

A lovely time was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boyce on Christmas Day when their family gathered to celebrate with them their 46th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Boyce (Harriett Tuck) were married 46 years ago Christmas Day and are well known and highly respected residents of the Fourth Line.

In the afternoon the family surprised them by presenting them with a dinner set. Mrs. Clarence Londry read the address and Mr. Russel Boyce and Mr. Earl Croft made the presentation. They also received many other beautiful gifts.

In the evening friends and neighbors gathered and a lovely time was spent playing cards and dancing, after which the bride of 46 years ago served a piece of her wedding cake to those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce had the pleasure of having all their family home with the exception of two, Calvin and Lewis. Following are the names of their family: Calvin of New Liskeard, Russell of Markdale, Lewis of Melville, Sask., Edith (Mrs. Art Wilson) of Osprey, Mable (Mrs. Earl Croft) of Osprey, Beatrice (Mrs. Ken McKee) of Toronto, Melville of New Liskeard, Mildred (Mrs. Lewis Fisher) of Artemesia, Clara (Mrs. Clarence Londry) of Heathcote, Florence of Toronto, Louise and George at home. Two sons, Clarence and Edward were killed in the Great War in France. Three children died in infancy. Mr. and Mrs. Boyce are blessed with 15 grandchildren.

We extend our heartiest congratulations to this fine couple and wish them many more years together.

Splendid Entertainment

A splendid attendance featured the annual entertainment of St. John's United Church Sunday School, held on Friday night of last week, in place of New Year's night as has been the custom in the past. The receipts of the evening amounted to $50.50. The program was given almost entirely by the younger members of the School.

Recitations were given by Royden Johnson, Marie Stewart, Roy Park, Ruth Fawcett, Edna McKechnie, Tom Wauchope, Janet Betts, Irma Aberdein, Eldon Fawcett, Beverley Cook, Elaine Cook, Joan Turney, Joan Wood, Maxine Cherry and Junior Henderson.

Choruses were given by the School and also the junior room, while Eleanor and Muriel Sparks gave a duet and Mary Jane McTavish a solo. Mr. Ross Wilson of Listowel gave a fine tenor solo and obliged with an encore. Several drills were given by different classes and "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" was splendidly portrayed by Mrs. Phillips' class. The final number was a play "The Shepherd who did not go," presented by the Trail Rangers, which was well played.

LEG WAS BROKEN WHEN STRUCK BY MOTOR CAR

(By our Maxwell Correspondent)

Mr. Garfield McLeod received a fractured leg when he was struck by a west bound car as he was backing his car onto the highway from Mr. Geo. Ross's lane. Besides a broken leg he received a severe cut on the leg and several bruises. He was taken to the Collingwood hospital, where he is doing as well as can be expected.

Observe Their 55th Wedding Anniversary

Congratulations are extended to our fellow citizens, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Ottewell on reaching their 55th wedding anniversary on Monday. Dr. Ottewell has been laid up in the house for the past few weeks with a heavy cold, but we hope that he will soon be around again.

We believe less than half we hear these days and we are doing very little listening.

FLESHERTON ARENA SKATING SCHEDULE

Skating every Monday and Saturday nights. Also Saturday afternoon. A modern Sound System has been installed and music will be supplied every skating night. Modern skating tunes. Admission, 15c and 10c.